

Table 1. Demographic characteristics of the study population	
Age (years)	50.0 ± 10.0
Gender (male/female)	100/100
Marital status (married/divorced/separated)	100/10/0
Education (years)	12.0 ± 2.0
Occupation (white/blue)	100/0
Income (USD/month)	1,000.0 ± 200.0
Smoking status (smoker/non-smoker)	50/50
Alcohol consumption (yes/no)	20/80
Family history of hypertension (yes/no)	30/70
Duration of hypertension (years)	5.0 ± 3.0
Current antihypertensive treatment (yes/no)	100/0
Medication (ACE inhibitor/CCB/β-blocker/diuretic)	100/0/0/0
Comorbidities (diabetes/cholesterol)	10/90/10/90
Quality of life (SF-36 score)	50.0 ± 10.0
Health status (good/fair/poor)	80/10/10
Psychological status (anxious/depressed)	20/80/10/90
Social support (high/low)	50/50
Stress level (high/low)	30/70
Life satisfaction (high/low)	40/60
Overall health perception (good/fair/poor)	70/20/10
Adherence to treatment (yes/no)	90/10
Knowledge of hypertension (high/low)	60/40
Attitude towards treatment (positive/negative)	70/30
Healthcare utilization (frequent/infrequent)	40/60
Health insurance status (insured/uninsured)	90/10
Healthcare access (easy/difficult)	50/50
Healthcare costs (high/low)	30/70
Healthcare quality (good/poor)	60/40
Healthcare satisfaction (high/low)	40/60
Healthcare trust (high/low)	50/50
Healthcare communication (good/poor)	60/40
Healthcare participation (high/low)	40/60
Healthcare decision-making (shared/individual)	50/50
Healthcare expectations (high/low)	30/70
Healthcare needs (met/not met)	40/60
Healthcare outcomes (good/poor)	60/40
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